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Via ECF

Hon. Victor Marrero
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

RE: *U.S. v. Kenyatta Taiste*, 18 Cr. 684

Dear Judge Marrero:

This office represents the defendant, Kenyatta Taiste, in the above-captioned case. I write, on consent of the government, to request that Ms. Taiste's April 9, 2021 sentencing be adjourned to the earliest date the Court can accommodate an in-court proceeding.

The Court informed the parties today that it will be unable to accommodate in-person sentencings until July or August of 2021. Because of Ms. Taiste's characteristics as a black, transgender woman, her vulnerability, and the unique circumstances of her case, an in-person sentencing is particularly important. Therefore, I respectfully request that her sentencing be adjourned to the earliest date the Court is available for an in-person sentencing. Ms. Taiste remains compliant with the terms of her release.

Thank you for your attention to this case.

Very truly yours,

Victoria Nicole Medley

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CC: Nicholas Chiuchiolo (via ECF)

Request GRANTED.

The sentencing is hereby adjourned to
July 30, 2021 at 1 p.m.

SO ORDERED.

March 24, 2021

DATE


VICTOR MARRERO, U.S.D.J.

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